

By Mr. HOYER:

H. Res. 8. Resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 9. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GEPHARDT:

H. Res. 10. Resolution providing for the attendance of the House at the inaugural ceremonies of the President and Vice President of the United States; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BARTLETT (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H. Res. 11. Resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to limit the total number of committee staff personnel employed during the 103d Congress to one-half of the number employed at the end of the 102d Congress; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. BARTON of Texas (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. BLILEY, and Mr. RAMSTAD):

H. Res. 12. Resolution providing for mandatory drug testing of Members of the House of Representatives; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. BENTLEY:

H. Res. 13. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, should posthumously advance Rear Admiral Husband E. Kimmell to the grade of admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. COMBEST:

H. Res. 14. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Federal laws regarding the taxation of State and local government bonds should not be changed in order to increase Federal revenues; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DORNAN:

H. Res. 15. Resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to provide certain qualifications pertaining to service as a Member, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. DUNCAN:

H. Res. 16. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that any change in the current policy regarding homosexuals in the Armed Forces should be made by law, rather than by Executive order; to the Committee on Armed Services.

H. Res. 17. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that any additional revenues resulting from the imposition of, or any change in, any tax or fee should be applied to reducing our Nation's public debt; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HALL of Ohio (for himself and Mr. EMERSON):

H. Res. 18. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on Hunger; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mrs. LLOYD (for herself and Mr. HUGHES):

H. Res. 19. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on Aging; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. OXLEY, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. MFUME, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. DE LUGO, Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER, Mr. WASHINGTON, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. RAMSTAD):

H. Res. 20. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. ROBERTS:

H. Res. 21. Resolution providing for savings in the operations of the House of Representatives to be achieved by transferring functions to private sector entities and eliminating staff positions; to the Committee on House Administration.

H. Res. 22. Resolution prohibiting the use of appropriated funds for acquisition of voter registration lists for the House of Representatives; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. SCHROEDER (for herself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. EVANS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SARPALIUS, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mrs. COLLINS of Michigan, Mr. BACCHUS of Florida, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, and Mr. CRAMER):

H. Res. 23. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. SMITH of Iowa:

H. Res. 24. Resolution authorizing the House Administration Committee to investigate, recount, and report on contested elections for the House of Representatives; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. STEARNS:

H. Res. 25. Resolution congratulating the people of India on the occasion of the 46th anniversary of their nation's independence; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ZELIFF:

H. Res. 26. Resolution to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to prohibit putting the question on final passage of any measure until copies of that measure have been available to Members for at least 1 day; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. ZIMMER (for himself, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. CASTLE, and Mr. ROHRBACHER):

H. Res. 27. Resolution to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to prohibit bills and joint resolutions from containing more than one subject; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. EVERETT:

H. Res. 28. Resolution expressing the sense of the House that Members of the House of Representatives should be prohibited from an increase in the rate of pay following a budget deficit in the preceding Congress, and should have their rate of pay reduced if the deficit is not reduced effectively in the preceding Congress; jointly, to the Committees on House Administration and Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. NEAL of North Carolina:

H. Res. 29. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Federal excise tax rates should not be increased; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HUGHES (for himself and Mrs. LLOYD):

H. Res. 30. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on Aging; to the Committee on Rules.

¶1.45 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. LAROCCO:

H.R. 444. A bill for the relief of the heirs and assigns of Hattie Davis Rogers of the Nez Perce Indian Reservation, ID; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 445. A bill for the relief of Jorge Luis Dos Santos, Suzete de S. Tenorio, Luis Antonio Cardoso Tenorio, and Jullie Tenoria; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEHMAN:

H.R. 446. A bill to grant a right of use and occupancy of a certain tract of land in Yosemite National Park to George R. Lange and Lucille F. Lange, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. WASHINGTON:

H.R. 447. A bill for the relief of Ayo Martins; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6, 1993 (2)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶2.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, January 5, 1993.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶2.2 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. McCathran, one of his secretaries.

¶2.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 1, a concurrent resolution to provide for the counting on January 6, 1993, of the electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States, agreed to January 5, 1993, Mr. FORD and Mr. STEVENS are appointed as tellers on the part of the Senate.

¶2.4 MEMBERS-ELECT SWORN IN

Mr. LES ASPIN of the First District of Wisconsin and Mr. ALAN WHEAT of the Fifth District of Missouri, appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office prescribed by law.

¶2.5 TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT BOARD

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 4(a) of the Technology Assessment Act of 1972 (2 United States Code 473(a)), appointed to the Technology Assessment Board, Messrs. BROWN of California and DINGELL, on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶2.6 DESIGNATION OF ELECTORAL VOTE TELLERS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 1, appointed as tellers on the part of the House to count the electoral votes, Messrs. ROSE and THOMAS of California.

¶2.7 SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY COMPENSATION

On motion of Mr. CLAY, by unanimous consent, the joint resolution of the Senate (S.J. Res. 1) to ensure that the compensation and other emoluments attached to the office of Secretary of the Treasury are those which were in effect on January 1, 1989; was taken from the Speaker's table.

When said joint resolution was considered and read twice, ordered to be read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶2.8 RECESS—12:10 P.M.

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the unanimous consent agreement of Tuesday, January 5, 1993, declared the House in recess at 12 o'clock and 10 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶2.9 AFTER RECESS—12:59 P.M.

The SPEAKER called the House to order.

¶2.10 ELECTORAL VOTES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT

At 1 o'clock p.m., pursuant to law and Senate Concurrent Resolution 1, adopted on January 5, 1993, the Senate attended in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

The VICE PRESIDENT took the Speaker's chair as Presiding Officer, the SPEAKER, Mr. FOLEY, being seated at his left, and the Senators took seats assigned them to the right of the presiding officer.

At 1 o'clock p.m., the VICE PRESIDENT called the joint session to order and said:

"Mr. Speaker and Members of Congress, the Senate and the House of Representatives, pursuant to the requirements of the Constitution and the laws of the United States, are meeting in joint session for the purpose of opening the certificates and ascertaining and counting the votes of the electors of the several States for President and Vice President.

"Under well-established precedents, unless a motion shall be made in any case, the reading of the formal portions of the certificates will be dispensed with. After ascertainment has been had that the certificates are authentic and correct in form, the tellers will count and make a list of the votes cast by the electors of the several States."

The tellers, Mr. FORD and Mr. STEVENS, on the part of the Senate, and Mr. ROSE and Mr. THOMAS of California, on the part of the House, took their places at the desk.

The tellers on the part of the Senate and the House, having taken their places at the Clerk's desk, the VICE PRESIDENT, in the presence of the two Houses of Congress, opened and presented in alphabetical order of the States certificates and papers purporting to be certificates of electoral votes for President and Vice President of the United States for the term beginning January 20, 1993.

The tellers, having read all the certificates of the several States in the presence and hearing of the two houses, and having made a list of the same as they appeared from the said certificates, submitted to the Vice President, the following report in writing:

The whole number of electors appointed to vote for President of the United States is 538, of which a majority is 270.

BILL CLINTON, of the State of Arkansas, has received for President of the United States 370 votes.

GEORGE BUSH, of the State of Texas, has received 168 votes.

The whole number of electors appointed to vote for Vice President of the United States is 538, of which a majority is 270.

AL GORE, of the State of Tennessee, has received for Vice President of the United States 370 votes.

DAN QUAYLE, of the State of Indiana, has received 168 votes.

The undersigned, WENDELL H. FORD and TED STEVENS, tellers on the part of the Senate, CHARLIE ROSE and WILLIAM M. THOMAS, tellers on the part of the House of Representatives, report the following as the result of the ascertainment and counting of the electoral vote for President and Vice President of the United States for the term beginning on the twentieth day of January, nineteen hundred and ninety-three.

States	Electoral votes of each State	For President		For Vice President	
		Bill Clinton	George Bush	Al Gore	Dan Quayle
Alabama	9	9	9	9	9
Alaska	3	3	3	3	3
Arizona	8	8	8	8	8
Arkansas	6	6	6	6	6
California	54	54	54	54	54
Colorado	8	8	8	8	8
Connecticut	8	8	8	8	8
Delaware	3	3	3	3	3
District of Columbia	3	3	3	3	3
Florida	25	25	25	25	25
Georgia	13	13	13	13	13
Hawaii	4	4	4	4	4
Idaho	4	4	4	4	4
Illinois	22	22	22	22	22
Indiana	12	12	12	12	12
Iowa	7	7	7	7	7
Kansas	6	6	6	6	6
Kentucky	8	8	8	8	8
Louisiana	9	9	9	9	9
Maine	4	4	4	4	4
Maryland	10	10	10	10	10
Massachusetts	12	12	12	12	12
Michigan	18	18	18	18	18
Minnesota	10	10	10	10	10
Mississippi	7	7	7	7	7
Missouri	11	11	11	11	11
Montana	3	3	3	3	3
Nebraska	5	5	5	5	5
Nevada	4	4	4	4	4
New Hampshire	4	4	4	4	4
New Jersey	15	15	15	15	15
New Mexico	5	5	5	5	5
New York	33	33	33	33	33
North Carolina	14	14	14	14	14
North Dakota	3	3	3	3	3
Ohio	21	21	21	21	21
Oklahoma	8	8	8	8	8
Oregon	7	7	7	7	7
Pennsylvania	23	23	23	23	23
Rhode Island	4	4	4	4	4
South Carolina	8	8	8	8	8
South Dakota	3	3	3	3	3
Tennessee	11	11	11	11	11
Texas	32	32	32	32	32
Utah	5	5	5	5	5
Vermont	3	3	3	3	3
Virginia	13	13	13	13	13
Washington	11	11	11	11	11
West Virginia	5	5	5	5	5
Wisconsin	11	11	11	11	11
Wyoming	3	3	3	3	3
Total	538	370	168	370	168

The VICE PRESIDENT then announced that the purpose of the meeting having been accomplished, the joint session was dissolved.

The Senate retired from the Hall of the House at 1 o'clock and 34 minutes p.m.

The SPEAKER then resumed the Chair, called the House to order and said: "Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 1, the Chair directs that the electoral votes be spread at large on the Journal."

¶2.11 RECESS—1:38 P.M.

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the unanimous consent agreement of Tuesday, January 5, 1993, declared the House in recess at 1 o'clock and 38 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶2.12 AFTER RECESS—2:01 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, called the House to order.

¶2.13 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—BUDGET BASELINES, HISTORICAL DATE, AND ALTERNATIVES FOR THE FUTURE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

I am pleased to present the budgetary statement: *Budget Baselines, Historical Data, and Alternatives for the Future*.

The Budget Enforcement Act of 1990 (BEA) changed the date by which the President is required to transmit his Budget from the first Monday after January 3rd to the first Monday in February. It also established January 21, 1993, as the date for the official presentation and determination of the BEA budget deficit adjustment. Accordingly, the full 1994 Budget must be submitted by the new Administration.

In order to provide a perspective from which to evaluate choices and actions, this document provides the following:

- a review of current policies and the implications of their extension into the future;
- near-term and long-term budget projections under alternative economic and technical assumptions;
- assessments of hidden liabilities with associated policy reforms, and assessments of high risk management areas with associated recommendations for systems improvement; and
- updated options and recommendations for spending control.

It is my hope that this will be useful to the Congress and the new Administration in the effort to produce both a responsible budget and strong economic growth.

GEORGE BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, January 6, 1993.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 103-4).

¶2.14 SPEAKER TO ACCEPT RESIGNATIONS, APPOINT COMMISSIONS

On motion of Mr. WISE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Wednesday, January 20, 1993, the Speaker and the Minority Leader be authorized to accept resignations and to make appointments to commissions, boards and committees duly authorized by law or by the House.